

Cobb County Trail Plan



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Noonday Creek Trail and the Dallas Highway Streetscape. future will have connectivity to Powder Springs Road Trail, Kennesaw Mountain-to-Chattahoochee River Trail and in the Civil War battles. These trails provide convenient access to the battlefield features and significant event locations of key on-site There are 19.5 miles of unpaved trails providing access to

> BATTLEFIELD PARK TRAILS KENNESAW MOUNTAIN NATIONAL

> > trails within Cobb County.

National Recreation Area includes approximately 20 miles of Ferry South, Johnson Ferry North, and Gold Branch. The Cochran Shoals/Sope Creek, West Palisades/Paces Mill, Johnson Recreation Area located within Cobb County's eastern boundary: There are five sections of the Chattahoochee River National

AREA TRAILS

CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVER NATIONAL RECREATION National Park Service Trails:

Trail, running parallel to the Norfolk Southern rail line. Heritage Park Trail southward to the Johnston's River Line The proposed Nickajack Creek Trail will span from the NICKY1YCK CKEEK LKYIF 🗽

between the Silver Comet Trail and Shipp Road, are open for use. the Silver Comet Trail and downtown, and Phase Two, north pedestrian bridge at C.H. James Parkway. Phase One , between follows Lucille Creek and intersects the Silver Comet Trail's maple tree and several creek overlooks. Lucille Creek Trail features a wetlands observation tower, a state champion red to the Silver Comet Trail at Carter Road. The 1.5-mile trail The City of Powder Springs' Wild Horse Creek Trail connects

SYSTEMS (City of Powder Springs) LUCILLE CREEK AND WILDHORSE CREEK TRAIL

Trail to the Silver Comet Trail.

The Laurel Creek Connector will link the Nickajack Creek LAUREL CREEK CONNECTOR 🗪

in the late 1800s and connects to the Silver Comet Trail. The trail traverses an old mill Site that was operational Creek and parallels the creek for about one and a half miles. wetland area via a boardwalk. It proceeds across Nickajack This two-mile trail begins at Heritage Park and crosses a

HEKITAGE PARK TRAIL ~

Amphitheater. CCT Route 30 will be accessible via the trail. access to the Mable House Cultural Arts Center and

COBB COUNTY TRAIL PLAN

INTRODUCTION

Cobb County has a significant network of multi-use trails in numerous areas throughout the County. Although most of the trails are designed primarily for recreational users, they provide connectivity between cities, access to regional activity centers, and a healthy commuting option for travelers who wish to avoid traffic on our roads.

This brochure contains descriptions of all of the existing and selected proposed trails within the system, as well as a map of the trail plan. Many of the trails have or will have amenities such as pocket parks with benches and trash receptacles. Additionally, there are many trailhead facilities throughout the system with restrooms, bicycle racks and parking.

Trail projects on map are in different phases of development:

- Red indicates existing, usable trails (existing \square)
- Yellow indicates that funding for the trail has been identified & construction will follow (programmed \sim)
- Green indicates proposed trail construction when funding is available (proposed \sim)

ACCESS TO TRAILS

A good portion of the existing trail system is accessible via transit. All Cobb Community Transit (CCT) buses are equipped with front-loaded bicycle racks. All CCT Park and Ride Lots have loop bicycle racks. The trails that can be accessed by transit are listed below:

TRAILS SERVED BY CCT

- Bob Callan Trail: Routes 10, 10A, 10B, 15 & 50
- Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area Trails: Routes 10, 10B, 50 & 65
- Silver Comet Cumberland Connector:

Routes 10, 10A, 10B, 20, 30, 50, 70 & MARTA Route 12

- East Cobb Trail: Route 65
- Heritage Park Trail: Route 70
- Kennesaw National Battlefield Park Trails: Routes 40, 45 and 70
- Mountain to the River Trail: Routes 10, 10A, 10B, 15, 20, 30, 40, 45, 50, 70 & MARTA Route 12
- Silver Comet Trail: Routes 30 & 70

Highway, serving the Mableton community and providing from the Silver Comet Trail to Veterans Memorial This trail will run alongside Floyd Road southward

FLOYD ROAD TRAIL 🥕 🗸

area, the largest employment Center in Cobb County. Cumberland Connector extends to the Cumberland-Galleria from south Cobb to Paulding County. The Silver Comet/ Birmingham. This paved pathway extends over 12.8 miles utilizes the railroad track bed that connected Atlanta to The Silver Comet Trail is part of a larger system which

SILVER COMET TRAIL 🔷 ~ Silver Comet Trail Network:

the pedestrian bridge on Cumberland Boulevard over I-285. of Smyrna to the Silver Comet/Cumberland Trail Connector at This trail will tie the existing Spring Road Trail in the City SPRING ROAD/CUMBERLAND TRAIL CONNECTOR ~

Tower Road, Marietta Station Walk, Atlanta Road and Spring Road. River. The project fills gaps between programmed trail projects at Park to the City of Atlanta's Trail System at the Chattahoochee Cobb County connecting Kennesaw Mountain National Battlefield This 13.5-mile multi-use urban trail runs through the heart of

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the National Park Service land on the Chattahoochee River. is located at Windy Hill and Powers Ferry Road, adjacent to commercial, and office centers. The Wildwood Development Wildwood, a mixed-use development which includes residential, and other segments of the County's trail system from Systems' Cochran Shoals Trail, Rottenwood Creek Trail, This programmed trail will connect the National Park

WILDWOOD TRAIL ~

Highway Streetscape and the proposed Noses Creek Trail. There will also be connectivity to the programmed Dallas residential communities located off of Barrett Parkway. Creek Trail. It will provide access to the Town Center area Parkway/US 41, where it will connect to the Noonday Barrett Parkway from Dallas Highway northward to Cobb The West Cobb Trail will primarily run alongside

MEZT COBB TRAIL ~

University, Life University and various parks along the trail route. Battlefield Park, Marietta Square, Southern Polytechnic State the CCT Transfer Station, the Kennesaw Mountain National Kennesaw Mountain-to-Chattahoochee River Trail, linking to The City of Marietta's University Trail branches off of the

UNIVERSITY TRAIL (City of Marietta) ~

River Trail and will provide accessibility to the Town Center as a connection to the Kennesaw Mountain-to-Chattahoochee to the Cherokee County Line. Once completed, the trail will serve Road, with a proposed segment running from Bells Ferry Road

For general questions or more information on programmed and proposed trails, contact: Cobb County Department of Transportation Planning Division 1890 County Services Parkway Marietta, GA 30008 phone: 770-528-1679 fax: 770-528-1601 email: planning@cobbcounty.org website: www.cobbdot.org

Kennesaw Mountain National Battlefield Park to Bells Ferry This trail is programmed to run from the Visitor's Center at NOONDAY CREEK TRAIL 🥕 🥌

a series of historic embankments along the Chattahoochee River. The proposed project will provide users the opportunity to visit 10HNSTON'S RIVER LINE TRAIL 🧽

of Roswell, as well as the City of Marietta's University Trail. trail will provide connectivity to Fulton County and the City Fullers Park. Programmed and proposed segments of the provides access along Roswell Road to East Cobb Park and Roswell Road/Johnson Ferry Road intersection. The trail Park traveling eastward to Merchants Walk just west of the Roswell Road/SR 120, starting just west of East Cobb The existing portion of the East Cobb Trail runs alongside

EAST COBB TRAIL 🔷 🗸

Wild Horse Creek Trail. be provided by the proposed Noses Creek Trail and the existing Creek Trail. Additionally, a link to the Silver Comet Trail will Streetscape to the Town Center and the programmed Noonday programmed West Cobb Trail will link the Dallas Highway Mountain National Battlefield Park and its trail system. The bicycle access to the City of Marietta, as well as the Kennesaw located off of Dallas Highway/SR 120 west of Marietta, with The Dallas Highway Streetscape will be a multi-use path,

DYLLAS HIGHWAY STREETSCAPE 🦴 🦱

Trail and connect with an existing trail on Spring Road. a link to the Kennesaw Mountain-to-Chattahoochee River Comet Trail at the southernmost end. It will also provide The proposed Concord Road Trail will link to the Silver

CONCOKD KOYD TRAIL 🦴 🧹

trail will link to the City of Marietta's University Trail. North Parkway to Terrell Mill Road. Once completed, the for use. Phase Two is proposed to run from Interstate to Interstate North Parkway and is currently open Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area northward Phase One of the Bob Callan Trail extends from the

(formerly known as the Rottenwood Creek Trail) BOB CALLAN TRAIL 🥕 🦳

(City of Kennesaw).

link the Lake Acworth Trail to the proposed Kennesaw Trail The Proctor Creek Trail is a proposed multi-use trail that will multiple neighborhoods north of historic downtown Kennesaw. Nance Road. The Matlock Trail is an existing facility that links Acworth utilizing portions of Lake Acworth Drive/SR 92 and trail will be six miles in length forming a loop around Lake pedestrian bridge and a nature walk. When completed, the the lake, is approximately one-half mile long and includes a This walking trail, located along the northern shore of

ACWORTH TRAILS (City of Acworth) 🦴 🦴

SELECTED COBB COUNTY TRAILS

YOUR GUIDE TO

Cobb County Multi-Use Trail Systems Plan



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